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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : LEE, HOWARD
Serial Number : 09/932,629
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For : SCREWDRIVER/FASTENER SYSTEM
Group Art Unit : 3723
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Introductory Comments

This Amendment is in response to the Final Office Action dated 6/26/03. Attached hereto are:

- 1) Applicant's Remarks;
- 2) Marked-up Version of Claims with amendments shown.

Reconsideration and a Notice of Allowance are respectfully requested.

If the Examiner is of the opinion that direct contact with applicant's attorney would expedite the prosecution of

this case, she is hereby authorized to call the undersigned
collect at 727-734-2855.

Respectfully submitted,



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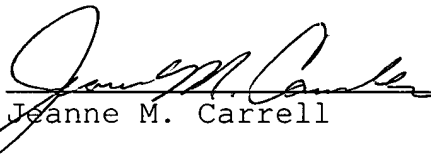
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